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Applicant: TERAHARA et al. Conf.: 7905

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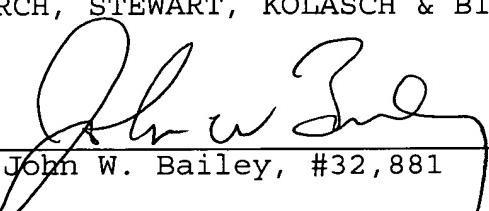
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REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated October 1, 2002, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

REMARKS

Claims 1-13 are pending in the present application.

The Examiner has required election in the present application between:

Group I, claims 1-10 and 13, drawn to the product, classified in class 429, subclass 33; and

Group II, claims 11 and 12, drawn to the method of making, classified in class 522, subclass 149.